govoffices

Location: facilities\govoffices.shp

Description
Approximate location of government offices in Bay County, including city halls, major county offices, state permit offices, and some federal offices.   This data consists point features.

For government land polygons, including most government offices, see property**govlands.shp**.
For permit offices, join **govoffices_permits.dbf** to **govoffices.dbf** by **officename** field.

Coordinate system: State Plane, Florida North Zone, Datum NAD83, feet (see **.prj** file)

Source
Bay County GIS created this data in October 1999. County parcel polygons were selected, copied, and split where necessary (on 11th St, Mulberry Av, and Harrison Av) in Arcview, using these references: parcel use description (field pusedesc), parcel owner name (fields mname, maddress), parcel address (field paddress), 1999 telephone book, 1998 MAPSource Street Atlas, small county map, and digital aerials.

In May 2001, Bay County GIS further split Mulberry Ave, separating Property Appraiser and Tax Collector.

In May 2002, Bay County GIS updated for new locations of Veterans Services and Cooperative Extension.

In August 2002, Bay County GIS edited the polygon shapefile **govoffices.shp**. Florida Dept of Health was moved eastward to match **govlands.shp**. Per **permit.shp** and **permit_list.dbf** dated September 1998, 3 state permit offices, 1 federal permit office (Corps of Engineers), and 1 city permit office (Callaway Planning) were added. Edited **permit_list.xls**, adding **officename** field and saving as **govoffices_permits.dbf** for linking to **govoffices.dbf**.

In September 2002, Bay County GIS exported the polygon shapefile to a coverage, then converted the coverage label points to a point shapefile **govoffices_pt.shp**.

In June 2004, Bay County GIS staff dropped the polygons and updated the points. For editing in ArcView3, converted feature type from multipoint to point, by converting from shapefile to coverage to shapefile in ArcToolbox. Human Resources office was updated to current location on 11th St. Some state and federal offices (in **usergroup.xls**) were added. Points were moved to match polygons in **govlands.shp**.

This data does NOT include all government offices. In the future, more offices may be included.

In this data, some lines are coincident with parcels and some are NOT, such as Florida Dept of Health and the FDEP. For government parcels, see govlands.shp. In the future, this data may contain office building footprints.

This data is provided with the understanding that the conclusions drawn from such information are solely the responsibilities of the user. The GIS data is not a legal representation of the features depicted, and any assumption of the legal status of this data is hereby disclaimed. Errors or omissions should be reported to the Bay County GIS Division 850-784-6171.

Attribute Table Structure

Item Name	Width	Output	Type	Decimals
officename	50	50	C	-
admin	16	16	C	-
address	30	30	C	-
city	30	30	C	-
zipcode	5	5	C	-
permits_yn	3	3	C	-

Attributes

officename
Name of the office. Key field for linking **govoffices_permits.dbf**.

admin
Administration, either city, county, state, or federal

address
Street address

city
City in which located, or nearest city

zipcode
Five-digit zipcode

permits_yn
Permit office indicator, based on **permit.shp** dated September 1998:
      yes   = permits issued
      no   = permits not issued
For types of permits issued at each government office, use **officename** to link **govoffices_permits.dbf**.